Table 6.1–1. Equipment and supplies used for measuring temperature¹

[°C, degrees Celsius; L, liter; µS/cm, microsiemens per centimeter at 25°C]

- ✓ Calibration thermometer, liquid-in-glass or electronic-thermistor thermometer, either National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) certified or manufacturer-certified as NIST traceable. Must carry certificate of NIST traceability; its use not allowed after expiration of certification. Temperature range at least −5 to +45°C 0.1°C graduations (liquid-in-glass) or less
- √ Thermometer, liquid-in-glass sensor, non-mercury for field use
 Temperature range −5 to +45°C
 Minimum 0.5°C graduated
 Calibrated accuracy within 1 percent of full scale or 0.5°C, whichever is less
 Calibrated and District certified against a properly certified calibration thermometer (see above)
- √ Thermistor Thermometer
 Calibrated accuracy with 0.1°C to 0.2°C
 Digital readout to at least 0.1°C
 Calibrated and District certified against calibration (NIST) thermometer
- ✓ Dewar flask and (or) plastic beakers (assorted sizes)
- ✓ Water bath, refrigerated
- ✓ Soap solution (1 L), nonphosphate laboratory detergent
- ✓ Deionized water (1 L), maximum conductivity of 1 μ S/cm
- ✓ Flowthrough chamber (for ground-water applications as an alternative to instruments with downhole capabilities)
- ✓ Paper tissues, disposable, soft, and lint free
- ✓ Log book, for recording all calibrations, maintenance, and repairs

¹Modify this list to meet specific needs of the field effort.